ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A threading control method and apparatus therefor is provided, in which, when carrying out thread-cut machining operations several times at one position, synchronized with main-spindle rotation and controlling movement of a threading spindle, deviations in thread grooves are prevented without correcting programmed commands, machining accuracy is improved, and tool life extended.

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When a main-spindle single-rotation reference signal and a main-spindle position counter are input to the numerical control apparatus, the present main-spindle position is computed by a main-spindle position difference computing 103, the between the main-spindle means single-rotation reference signal and control cycles is obtained, as a correction amount 108, from the computed main-spindle position, by a main-spindle position-correcting means 104 and a correction is done. A threading-spindle interpolation starting detection means 105 monitors whether the main-spindle single-rotation reference signal and the control cycles are synchronous, and when synchronous, interpolation for the threading spindle is started by interpolation means 106 for each spindle.